



Patent No. 09/830,479

Reply to Office Action of April 7, 2004

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<b>COMBINED AMENDMENT &amp; PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)</b>	<b>Docket No.</b> <b>PIZ-10102/00</b>
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In Re Application Of: **Robert Lindsay Mailler**

<b>Application No.</b> 09/830,479	<b>Filing Date</b> August 8, 2001	<b>Examiner</b> Dalena Tran	<b>Customer No.</b> 25006	<b>Group Art Unit</b> 3661	<b>Confirmation No.</b> 8160
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Invention: **VEHICLE POSITIONING APPARATUS AND METHOD**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of April 7, 2004 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: July 7, 2004                      until: August 7, 2004  
*Date*    *Date*

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

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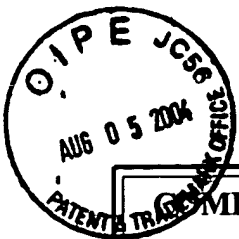
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TOTAL CLAIMS	8 -	20 =	0	x \$9.00	\$0.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS	1 -	3 =	0	x \$43.00	\$0.00	
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00	
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$55.00	
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$55.00	

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TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)**

Docket No.  
**PIZ-10102/00**

The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of **\$55.00** for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of **\$0.00**
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- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **07-1180**

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